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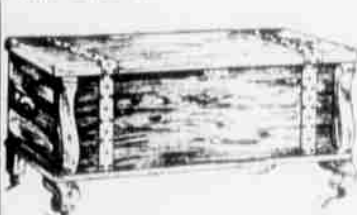
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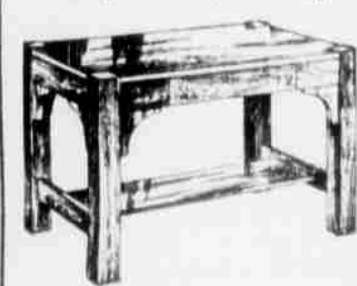
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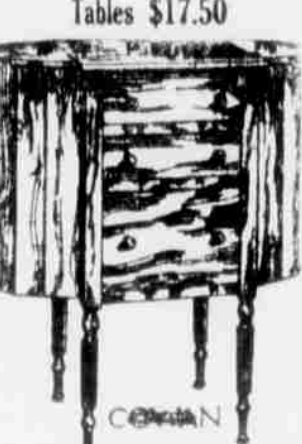


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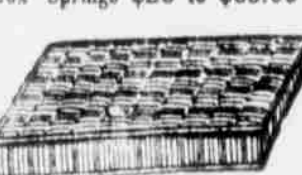


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Ivory Reed Rockers \$15

New reed rockers, finished in brown, ivory or gray, upholstered in best grade cretonne.

Buy a Christmas Rug



MORE CASH FOR BETTER CREAM

Dairy Division of State Department of Agriculture Makes New Ruling.

PRICE BASIS TO BE UNIFORM

Any creamery, cream station operator or anyone who handles cream for commercial purposes, will be required to begin to grade cream and pay for it on a differential of at least three cents a pound, better fat on and after December 15, according to a new ruling made by the dairy division of the state department of agriculture.

This ruling will apply to all conditions and includes all those handling the cream, whether manufacturing in the state or shipping out of the state; any individual, direct buyer or direct shipper, person, concern or company, whether operating station or not operating a station, all must comply with the new ruling adopted by the department.

The move is for the establishment of a cream market basis in the state. A uniform system has been adopted in the states of Kansas, Nebraska, Missouri, Texas, and now Oklahoma will be joined with these states on and after December 15. Heretofore there has been no discrimination between the first and second quality of cream in the grading, and they both took the same value.

Pay for Quality. In inaugurating a move of the kind mentioned, it will be possible for one who produces quality to get paid for the extra time and trouble that it takes to produce that which will score first grade. A statement contained in the official notice coming from the dairy division, says:

"Heretofore the discriminate producer who keeps clean utensils and separate milk houses, and gives his cream careful attention in cooling and stirring and in not mixing warm cream with cold cream, has been at the mercy of the indolent man who did not care so long as he got the price, because under the old system cream was cream regardless of the quality."

The new ruling will place the state on a differential of at least three cents between the first and second grades, and we hope to see the time that second grade cream will be so scarce that it cannot find a market at any price. The idea this department has in constructing a cream buying basis of this kind is for the sole purpose of placing the cream on a competitive market so that the farmer of this state will receive the highest possible market for the quality that he produces without having any restriction to contend with as we have had heretofore.

A Uniform Basis. The states of Kansas, Nebraska, Missouri and Texas have previously adopted the uniform system of grading cream, and it is the purpose to put all these connecting states on a uniform basis. Much cream is bought and shipped from these states and a system of the kind proposed is admitted by dairymen and creameries to be the best possible for the interests of the business.

A meeting has been called for December 7 at the Kingside hotel in this city, at which representatives of the creamery business of these states have been invited. At the meeting conditions in each state, especially with regard to the uniformity in cream grading will be discussed.

OTHER SCHOOLS JOIN

Pupils From the Bryant Get Into the Cinderella Play and Will Assist in Making It a Success.

A number of pupils from the Bryant school are joining the 160 pupils from Emerson, Lincoln and McKinley schools who are taking part in the Cinderella play, soon to be staged at the Overholser. In a few more days the date will be definitely fixed. Manager Wells of the Overholser says that the date of some of the larger plays frequently is not fixed until a few days before the play appears, and that by a systematic arrangement of advertising full announcements are made to the public.

Manager Wells is donating the Overholser on an open evening and the proceeds for the fixing of the date. There are two or three open evenings and the date will be announced in due season. In the meantime the selling of tickets continues, and an overflowing house is looked for.

Miss Margaret Kendrick, who plays the leading role, Cinderella, is the daughter of Senator C. B. Kendrick, president pro tempore of the senate, whose home is now closing. Miss Kendrick Kendrick, the senator's niece, portrays the fairy godmother and the part of Prince Charming is played by Miss Dorothy Hendley.

Tickets may be purchased now and sent forward immediately after the date is announced. It is hoped to reduce the debt of the orphanage with this play.

MORE PARKS URGED

Dr. A. C. Scott Delivers Address Before State Civic Association Meeting—Guthrie School Man Talks.

The buying out of numerous "small" parks and play grounds in Oklahoma City was urged by Dr. A. C. Scott in a comprehensive address on civic beauty delivered before the State Civic association at the Lee-Huckins hotel Wednesday night.

Dr. Scott was one of thirteen men who originally assembled here in a tent and laid out the plan of Oklahoma City, which he declared overlooked the necessity of providing parks. Dr. Scott deplored certain conditions in Oklahoma City, especially those along the railway tracks approaching the business districts and said that the entire city should be made beautiful and attractive. President Evans is

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FRANKFORT UNIVERSITY DOORS ARE OPEN NOW

Notwithstanding the war, the new University of Frankfort has just been opened. The emperor signed the statutes of the new institution on August 1, the day the German mobilization was ordered. Thus this new seat of learning will be identified for all time with the great world war, just as the university of Berlin is known throughout Germany for having been born during the Napoleonic wars. The University of Frankfort has also attached to itself a renaissance of those days by opening its doors on the anniversary of the battle of Leipzig, where Napoleon's power in Germany was finally broken.

The opening on October 18, was without any special ceremony. The Kaiser sent from military headquarters a dispatch expressing his regret that the "defense of the Fatherland from the nefarious attacks of our enemies" rendered it impossible for him to be present.

The institution begins its career under favorable financial and intellectual auspices. An endowment fund of about \$2,000,000 has been collected. A large part of this was given by members of the Frankfort Speyer family, which is also presented in New York. A considerable contribution was also made. It is understood, by Jacob H. Schiff, of New York, as a gift to his native city.

The city of Frankfort undertakes to make annual appropriations for meeting a part of the running expenses—a fact which gives this university a unique position among those of Germany. It had been proposed by the contributors to the endowment that

the city should have exclusive control, including the selection of the faculty; but this was rejected by the Prussian legislature; hence the appointment of professors is made by the ministry of education, as at the other universities. The city government, however, is well represented on the board of trustees and has an extensive influence over the administration of affairs.

No Theological Faculty.

In still another respect the University of Frankfort differs from the other German institutions. It has, namely, no theological faculty. An effort was made to give it one, but the proposal was defeated by the argument that the number of theological students has greatly decreased at the existing universities, and hence that there was no ground for increasing the facilities than the other universities, owing to the fact that it assigns to separate facilities some subjects that are grouped together at the older institutions. It will have the following five departments: law, medicine, philosophy, natural science, and economic and social science.

Frankfort starts out with more than one hundred professors and instructors, and it is already a greater institution in this respect than Göttingen, Tübingen, Strassburg, Jena, and some other German universities. The professors were mostly called from the other universities. Several were taken from Berlin, several from Vienna, still others from Leipzig, Basle, Kiel and Prague.

The new university has libraries, hospitals and museums, as part of its

splendid equipment. The city of Frankfort places at its disposal the municipal library of more than 1,350,000 volumes, as well as the great city hospital established about 25 years ago. This gives the university better facilities in some departments of medicine than some of the other institutions. Thus it has two clinics especially for children's diseases, as well as others for ear and throat diseases—facilities which some of the other institutions are still lacking for. The George Speyer House for making researches into pharmaceutical chemistry, which is presided over by the famous Prof. Paul Ehrlich, has apparently been incorporated bodily into the new university. This has also been the case with the Neurological Institute of Prof. Eilingner. There are also extensive museums of zoology, mineralogy, geology and botany.

WORK ON TAX CASES

Appraisers Appointed to Fix Valuation of Property in Dispute in the Payment of Taxes.

That there may be a fair valuation reached on the property involved in the forty-three tax cases filed for hearing in the district court, Attorneys E. Y. Thompson for the county and E. F. Hinkley representing the taxpayers who have appealed from the decision of the board of equalization, have been in consultation endeavoring to select a board of three commissioners to appraise the property in question. These will be of disinterested parties and will be asked to submit their valuation when made to Judge Carney for his consideration.

It was given out at noon that two of the commissioners had been agreed upon provided the third could be found. A list of nearly twenty was under consideration for the selection of this third member. After the appraisal by members of this board their figures, together with those of the assessors and the board of equalization, will be considered in the determination of the court as to the just basis of taxation.

Assistant County Attorney Thompson gave it as his opinion that eventual settlement would be before a jury and that after the trial of a few cases in this way the others would be withdrawn.

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An enemy is a man who injures you, then refuses to forgive you.

produced F. W. Brooks, superintendent of Guthrie's public schools, who made a brief talk.

ENRICO ARIZONI HERE

Famous Tenor Who Will Sing at Overholser Tomorrow Night is Looking Over Oklahoma City Today.

Enrico Arizoni, the famous tenor who will sing at the Overholser tomorrow night, is looking over Oklahoma City today and is well pleased with the city. He said he thought it had made a most wonderful growth. "It is such a clean city," said Arizoni. "It is remarkable to see such a large city with no slum districts, no dirty places, but with everything new and clean."

Some large audiences to hear Arizoni tomorrow night. Arizoni is a young man, but his success has caused more ruck in Europe and America in the last few years than any other singer before the public. He will appear here under the auspices of the Musical Art Institute and the Ladies' Music club.

WILL GIVE A CONCERT

Edwin Vaile McIntyre Will Be Heard Again in an Evening of Musical Miniatures Friday Night.

Another popular concert will be given tomorrow night by Edwin Vaile McIntyre at the First Presbyterian church, Ninth and Robinson avenue. The tickets may be obtained free at the Fredericks-Kroh Music company and admission will be by ticket only. No admission will be charged, but a silver offering will be taken to cover the expenses of advertising and light. Mr. McIntyre gives these concerts for the pleasure of the music-loving people of the city and to the taste and appreciation for good music.

MAHR CITES EXAMPLE

Need for Tuberculosis Sanitarium Is Urgent — Sale of Stamps Will Bring Quick Relief to Many.

The great benefit of a tuberculosis sanitarium is acutely revived in a case that has been referred to Dr. J. C. Mahr, state commissioner of health, and in which he desires that some assistance be given. It is that of a boy whose mother hopes that something may be done for him.

The boy has tuberculosis of the spine, an affliction which causes nearly all of the hunchbacks, and is not unlike tuberculosis of any other portion of the body in its progress and effects. That relief may be gained in the case in point is just as likely as in other cases of the disease where the proper facilities are obtainable.

Dr. Mahr has become greatly interested in the treatment of tuberculosis and believes that this is the problem which the physicians of the country will some day be called on to devote more time than they do now to combat. A successful fight against the disease, however, cannot be waged without co-operation from the people. In the case of this boy, however, those who buy the Red Cross stamps

contribute to a fund that may be employed immediately in the treatment of this boy. While no charity in the case is sought, yet a fund created by the sale of these stamps will produce quick means for relief in other cases.

BOLEN WANTS STAMPS

Shipment Asked for By Oklahoma Revenue Collector Fails to Arrive—Advices Record Be Kept.

A shipment of more than 2,000,000 war revenue stamps in denominations from 2 cents to \$5 is being awaited by Hubert L. Bolen, internal revenue collector for Oklahoma. Mr. Bolen ordered the stamps several days ago, but has not yet heard from the department at Washington. Since newspaper dispatches announce that there is a shortage of stamps all over the country and that the department is unable to meet all the demands Mr. Bolen assumes that there may be some delay in receiving the stamps he has ordered, although he hopes to receive them soon.

While awaiting the stamps, those who cannot secure them from the local office are authorized to continue transaction of business as usual keeping books on all sales, transfers or filings which require the payment of a war tax.

BANKRUPTCY PROCEEDINGS AGAINST HARRAH FIRM

Involuntary proceedings in bankruptcy were brought against William and company, a mercantile establishment of Harrah, Ok., in the United States district court here today.

The creditors who brought the proceedings are the R. G. Davis Hat company of Dallas, Tex., the Oklahoma Sweeping Compound company and Hinkamp Brothers company of Keele, Ok. They allege that the Harrah firm owes debts in excess of \$5,000 which it cannot pay and that it has committed several acts of bankruptcy by preferring certain creditors over others.

TIPPERARY IS TABOOED AT AMERICAN NAVAL STATION

Washington, Dec. 3.—Secretary Daniels today expressed approval of the action of Lieutenant Commander F. T. Evans, commanding the naval training station at Newport, R. I., in forbidding the singing of "It's a Long Way to Tipperary" by naval apprentices. Secretary Daniels said, as "Tipperary" was the marching song of the British forces, it ought not to be sung or played by American sailors any more than should "The Marseillaise" or "Die Wacht Am Rhein."

APPOINTMENT OF GERMAN PROTESTED BY COLLEGES

Oxford, England, Dec. 1.—Herr Fiedler, a German who completed his naturalization as an English citizen only eighteen months ago, has been appointed final examiner in the Final Honor School of German Language and Literature. He holds the Taylor professorship in the university. College publications have protested opposition to a professor of German professor to the examinership and Oxford students are outspoken in their opposition to a professor of German origin whose English citizenship has been so recently acquired.

OIL MEN MEET HERE

Executive Committee of Oklahoma Producers Association Has Conference—Burlingame and Pine Present.

C. E. Burlingame of Bartlesville and W. B. Pine of Okmulgee were in Oklahoma City today attending a meeting of the executive committee of the Oklahoma Oil Producers association at the Lee-Huckins hotel. Both are prominent oil men and members of the executive committee. None of the proceedings of the committee were made public up to a late hour this afternoon. Mr. Pine is prominently connected with the new marketing association which has been formed in the oil fields to assist producers in finding markets for their oil.

"CURRIED" WITH WHIP

"Fossum Hunters" Force Farmer to Cut Wood, Drag It Home and Eat Corn—Cruelty Charged.

Bowling Green, Ky., Dec. 3.—That the "Fossum Hunter" raids still continue in Muhlenberg County is evidenced as stories gradually come to light.

The raiders, in one instance, administered a doubly severe punishment to a farmer near Moorman, when a party of 50 took him to a woods near his home. Here he was made to cut cord wood for four hours and then harnessed and compelled to drag the wood home.

The victim then was tied to a stall in his own stable and compelled to eat four ears of cured corn. A member of the party suggested that he always carried his horse around feeding him. Instead of a curdy comb, a black-spoke whip was brought into play and the man was beaten almost into insensibility. The victim is said to be a good citizen and the trumped-up charges against him were that he had been cruel to his stepon.

VETERAN OF TWO WARS DIES AT HIS HOME IN KANSAS CITY

Kansas City, Dec. 3.—Dr. Minor T. Smith, 87 years old and a veteran of the Mexican and Civil wars, died at his home here last night. In the battle of Cerro Gordo in the Mexican war he received wounds which crippled him for life. He was a personal friend of both General Robert E. Lee and General Simon Bolivar Buckner.

WOMAN LEAVES BIG ESTATE FOR CHARITABLE PURPOSES

Franklin, La., Dec. 3.—The bulk of an estate valued at \$100,000 is bequeathed to Archbishop Monks of New Orleans to be distributed for charitable purposes by the terms of the will of Miss Carolina Tafford, which has been admitted to probate here.

HEAVY RAIN EXTINGUISHES MANY SMALL FOREST FIRES

Springfield, Mo., Dec. 3.—A number of small forest fires burning between here and the Arkansas line were extinguished when an inch and a quarter rain broke a two months drought in the Missouri Ozark region.

Announcement!

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